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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR VS VN SW

SUBJECT: SWEDEN AND THE "PRG"

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1. WE NOTE THAT ON THE DAY OF GVN AMBASSADOR THIEP'S ARRIVAL THE SWEDES SAW FIT TO OFFICIALLY PUBLICIZE THEIR AID TO "PRG" IN ADDITION TO "LEAKING" THEIR PLANS FOR UPGRADING "PRG" OFFICE IN STOCKHOLM.

2. IN LIGHT OF THIS FURTHER INFORMATION NOW BELIEVE THAT THE APPROACH TO GOS RECOMMENDED IN REF C SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT IN WASHINGTON. IN ADDITION TO POINTS IN REF C WE MIGHT NOTE (A) APPARENT INTERNATIONAL DISCOURTESY SUGGESTED BY ABOVE "COINCIDENCES" AND (B) THAT PROPOSED SWEDESH ACTIONS ARE PARTICULARLY UNFORTUNATE SINCE THEY ARE COMING AT THE VERY TIME THAT THE DRV/"PRG" IS STEPPING UP OFFENSIVE MILITARY OPERATIONS IN MUCH OF THE COUNTRY.

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